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BINDING AND BRAKES

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The withdrawn claims have been added in their entirety. The other aspects of the amendment remain the same.